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1. SUMMARY. INFORMAL CONTACT GROUP MET MARCH 23 AT EGYPTIAN EMBASSY FOR FIRST EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON GROUP OF EXPERTS REPORT. PRESENT WERE BRAZIL, PERU, EGYPT, INDIA, INDONESIA, FRANCE, FRG, UK, US, USSR. DISCUSSION ON ACTION TO BE TAKEN ON REPORT AT IDB/ VII INCONCLUSIVE. END SUMMARY.

2. IN EXCHANGE OF COMMENTS ON EXTENT TO WHICH EXPERTS SUCCEEDED IN CARRYING OUT THEIR MANDATE BRAZIL, (AMB BITTENCOURT) NOT UNEXPECTEDLY, WAS MOST CRITICAL, CHARACTERIZING THE REPORT AS " NO STRATEGY AT ALL", FAILING EVEN TO LAY OUT THE OBJECTIVES TOWARD WHICH UNIDO SHOULD DIRECT ITS EFFORTS. COMMENTS OF OTHER LDC'S PRESENT WERE MORE CAUTIOUS (PERUVIAN AMBASSADOR, FERNANDINI, WHO SERVED AS CHAIRMAN OF EXPERT GROUP REMAINING UNDERSTANDABLY SILENT ON THIS ASPECT OF THE DISCUSSION.) INDIAN AMBASSADOR (JAIPAL) AT ONE POINT,
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HOWEVER, STATED THAT REPORT IN HIS VIEW WAS A " MERE TACTICAL REACTION" TO UNIDO' S EXISTING POSSIBILITIES AND LIMITATIONS. GROUP B COUNTRIES GENERALLY AGREED THAT REPORT FELL SHORT OF ELABORATING STRATEGY BASED ON IDENTIFYING FORTHCOMING HAITIAN COURT HEARING, BUT SAID THAT IF PIERSON AND DUPONT CARIBBEAN ARE FOUND TO BE GUILTY UNLESS OF NON- COMPLIANCE WITH THE TERMS OF THE CONCESSION, THEN IT WOULD BE ANNULLED AND THE GOH WOULD BE FREE TO DEAL DIRECTLY WITH TRANS LINEAR IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE ISLAND, OR WITH GULF OIL, OR WITH RAWLINGS (PHONETIC) DEVELOPMENT, OR WITH ANY RESPONSIBLE GROUP. (THE RAWLINGS, OR WHATEVER, FIRM, IS UNKNOWN TO US.)

3. COMMENT: IT SEEMS PRETTY CLEAR THAT PIERSON' S CONNECTION WITH TORTUGA ISLAND IS NEARLY AT AN END.
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CONSIDERATION OF RESULTS OF THEIR LABORS. THERE WAS GENERAL AGREEMENT, HOWEVER, THAT ANY IDB MEMBER THAT HAD FURNISHED AN EXPERT COULD INCLUDE HIM IN ITS OFFICIAL DELEGATION TO IDB/ VII AND THAT MISSIONS PARTICIPATING

IN INFORMAL INER- GROUP TALKS COULD INCLUDE MEMBER OF GROUP OF EXPERTS AS PART OF THEIR " NATIONAL REPRESENTATIONS" IN SUCH TALKS. (AT ONE POINT, WHILE ARGUING FOR HIS PROPOSAL, BITTENCOURT WAS INVITED TO INDICATE WHAT ELEMENTS OF STRATEGY BRAZIL WOULD WISH TO SEE EMERGE FROM EXERCISE, TO WHICH HE UNABLE OR UNWILLING TO RESPOND.)

4. WITH BITTENCOURT' S PROPOSAL GETTING NO SUPPORT, DISCUSSION TURNED TO WHAT DISPOSITION MIGHT BE MADE OF REPORT AT IDB/ VII. QUESTION OF RELATIONSHIP OF REPORT TO PC- II CONSIDERATION UNIDO 1974-75 PROGRAM/ BUDGET (STATE 43409) ALSO ADDRESSED. FERNANDINI STRONGLY OBJECTED TO NOTION THAT PC- II MIGHT TAKE FORMAL COGNIZANCE OF REPORT PRIOR TO ITS INTRODUCTION BY HIM AS CHAIRMAN OF EXPERT GROUP TI IDB. AFTER CONSIDERABLE DISCUSSION OF THIS POINT IT WAS AGREED THAT SUCH WOULD BE THE PROCEDURE. AS FOR POSSIBLE IMPLICATIONS OF EXPERTS RECOMMENDATIONS FOR UNIDO BIENNIAL LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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PROGRAM, GENERAL VIEW WAS THAT ANY DELEGATION AT PC- II WAS FREE TO IGAN

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